



**CHRIST THE KING**  
November 22, 2009

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Mass Schedule	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9:30 a.m.
		at St. Mary's	11:15 a.m.
	Weekdays	at St. Cecilia's	8 a.m. (Mon. Wed. Fri.)
		at St. Mary's	8 a.m. (Thur.)
Confessions	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9 to 9:25 a.m.



Gospel: John 18:33-37

**The Kingdom of Jesus**

Jesus said, 'My kingdom is not of this world.'  
Jesus does not rule as earthly kings rule.

He has no place, no throne, no crown, no army.  
Yet we give him an allegiance and a loyalty,  
Which we would not give to any other person  
Or institution on earth.  
Alone and unarmed he stood before Pilate.  
Pilate, had thousands of soldiers to call upon.  
Jesus had no soldier to call upon.  
Yet Jesus was incomparably the greater of the two.  
Jesus is the hope of the human race.  
He rules, not by force, but by love.  
Lord Jesus, may your kingdom come,  
And may you remember me on that day.

Mass Intentions: Week of November 22, 2009

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	...	Chris Whalin
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	...	James Magliulo
Monday	8 a.m.	...	Virginia Prendergast
Wednesday	8 a.m.	...	John Lawson
* Thursday	10 a.m. (St. Cecilia)	...	Madeline de la Prade
Friday	8 a.m.	...	Souls in Purgatory

**Advent Prayer Adoration**

Thursday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>

St. Cecilia's

- 1 - 3 pm ... Pro-Life  
2.30pm speaker
- 3 - 5 pm ... CCD
- 5 - 7 pm ... Vocations  
6.30pm speaker
- 7 - 9 pm ... Faith Sharing

From the Pew

**Interfaith Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service**, today, Sunday, Nov 22<sup>nd</sup>, 4 pm. at the SGV Presbyterian Church. Donations will be used to directly support the Community Center's annual Thanksgiving turkey and food distribution to local families in need of support during the holiday season. We ask our parishioners to:

- a. Bring a photo or memento of a special person(s) for whom you are grateful;
- b. A donation for food bank or non-perishable food, checks payable to SGVCC.
- c. Finger food for reception.



Next week at St. Cecilia's, 2<sup>nd</sup> collection – Ground breaking for fountain.

**All Souls Candle**, to remember your loved ones and for special intentions, in the sanctuary during the month of November.

**Parish Christmas Party**, Friday, December 4<sup>th</sup>. 6 p.m. Cocktails, 7 p.m. Dinner, 7:45 Entertainments. Celebrate with us the Christmas Season.

**St. Mary's Christmas Concert**, Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2pm. Adults \$50, child under 12, \$10. For tickets and reservation, contact Spike & Kathy Drady, 662-2507.

**2010 Archbishop's Annual Appeal** assessment for St. Cecilia's is \$5,600 and for St. Mary's is \$5,000.

Next Parish Cruise being planned is May 10<sup>th</sup> – May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2010 to Alaska. If interested, contact Kathy Beckerley, (415)488-0558.

Universal Church

Pope Benedict XVI's visit to Africa this summer was greeted by 100,000s of Africans, but the Italian media, journalists, television were cynical, rude, scoffing to the point of vulgar laughter, hideous humor at the Pope. Of all that he spoke on, they were only interested in one topic – Aids. The Italian Episcopal Conference has since stated, "We will not have our Pope treated with such disrespect by professionals who have no theology or ridicule serious minded religious issues. These professionals lack credence and are beyond reasoning. In the future, any journalists who collude in this kind of uncivil behaviour, we will not be communicating with them." Italian Episocal Conference

Last Week's Collection:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	....	\$ 409.00
St. Mary's, Nicasio	....	\$ 532.00
Total:	....	\$ 941.00



"Fools Rush in Where Angels Fear to Tread."

